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MEMORANDUM FOR: Transportation Division, Planning and Control Staff
SUBJECT: TVA for SR Project ALCARRERA - FI

1. Project ALCARRERA - FI receives administrative support from the Berlin Operations Base. This project has an approved TVA of one vehicle.

2. The project has a requirement for an additional quasi-personal two-door foreign manufactured five-passenger sedan. This vehicle is required for a contract agent under non-official cover who will drive an estimated 40-50 miles a day. This vehicle is required to attend covert operational meetings in the Berlin area and to prevent surveillance of the agent. The agent also requires this vehicle for his personal safety because his cover exposes him to possible physical harm or abduction. Commercial transportation facilities should not be used in order to safeguard the security of the locations of his operational contacts and also to decrease the possibility of his abduction. A foreign make vehicle is necessary for cover purposes to help identify him as an individual, particularly in his operational travels. Station vehicle is used and station personnel cannot use this vehicle because the agent prevents overt contact with station personnel. The extras required for this vehicle consist of a heater and snow tires. It is estimated that the cost of this sedan will be \$1,500. The field project case officer will maintain the proper control of the utilization of the vehicle.

3. It is requested that you recommend approval of the TVA of two vehicles for this project.

for [Signature] Chief, SR/Logistics